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Morning Star.

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Heflin, Ala., June 2.—Meager details of the killing of Ben Rowell, 24-year-old farmer of Borden Springs, this county, were received here at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning. Officers have gone to investigate. Rowell's body was found on the side of the Seaboard tracks.

Two accounts have been given here. One says the Rowell is supposed to have been killed by a train; the other, that he was shot to death and his body placed on the tracks in an effort to destroy evidence of murder.

The author of the song "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" died recently at his home in Coventry, England. This song was one of the most favored during the war.

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BAPTIST CHURCH.
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Roosevelt's nine points on church going:

1.—Where men scoff at church needs and ignore religious services, their community is on the rapid down grade.

2.—Church work and attendance mean the cultivation of the habits of feeling for others.

3.—Sundays differ from other holidays, being fifty-two in a year. Therefore go to church.

4.—Men can worship in the home, the woods, by running brooks; but as a matter of cold fact they do not.

5.—He may not hear a good sermon at the church, but he will hear a sermon by a good man who is engaged all the week in making hard lives a little easier.

6.—He will listen to and take part in reading some beautiful passages in the Bible. And if he is not familiar with the Bible he will suffer a great loss.

7.—He will take part in singing some good hymns.

8.—He will meet and nod to good quiet neighbors, and will feel good feeling more charitably toward the world, even those men who regard church going as a soft performance.

I advocate a man's joining in church work for the sake of showing his faith by his works.

Sunday-school Day will be observed the third Sunday in June. Let us all look forward with great interest to that coming event in which the little tots will be charged.

We are sorry to learn that Rev. W. R. Hicks, working at the Dowdle mill had a painful accident in a fall last week. He is resting well.

Mrs. Bob Cooper has been confined to her room for the past several days. She is better.

The Liberty church community is going to have a teacher-training course in the Sunday school this summer. The date and instructor to be announced later.

An Irishman sitting up a corpse dressed in a fine broadcloth suit, burst out laughing. "Pat, aren't you ashamed to be laughing at a funeral?" Said one of the party. "Well, it's just this way. I'm minding the corpse there and thinking how he was all deluded up and no where to go, an' I had to laf."—Have somewhere to go next Sunday.

We hope the meeting at the Christian church will be well attended and much benefit will be had from it. There will be no services at night at the Methodist Church on account of this meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday Nights of each week.

Ladies meet every Tuesday Afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

FARMERS MAY GET STRAW GAS.

Science now can take a ton of straw and turn it into 10,000 cubic feet of gas for lighting the home and cooking meals. In addition, the straw yields such by-products as straw, cottonseed, and 625 pounds of carbon, ammonia, etc.

This is announced by the Department of Agriculture. However, it cautions, the straw-converting machine is not yet practical enough for farm use. But there is hope.

The future of the future will be a laboratory chemist. This tendency is realized from comparing modern farming with that of the past.

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Marketing Problems Will Be Discussed With Farmers; County Agent Urges Growing of Sweet Potatoes; More Pigs Delivered.

The two big problems on every farm are increased production and better market facilities. The office of Farm Demonstration Agent proposes to help farmers in both these problems. The first one, production, we have been working on for five months, trying to show by field demonstrations in every section of the county that right uses of fertilizers, seeds and cultivation would bring the yield of cotton above one seventh bale per acre, the average of last year for this county. This fall when the crops are harvested, where average stands have been obtained, and where the soil is sand or more farmers who have used our suggestions, they should expect a considerable increase yield over the average for the past five years, which will not exceed one-fourth bale per acre for the county. This will be the test of the pudding.

Now that a crop is made, how will it be about markets? We have as good local markets in this county as any county and no doubt the local buyers will give their customers everything they possibly can for their produce. It is good business for them to pay a good price if they can and we are sure that they have disposition to profit on the farmer, but the question is whether you, Mr. Farmer, will dump your goods on a glutted market or merchandise them thru your farm organization and receive the highest average price for the whole year.

On Tuesday afternoon, June 7, Miss Delma Parker entertained a number of girls of the Basin community. She upheld the reputation she has already made of being a very gracious hostess.

Needle work and conversation formed a large part of the program for the afternoon. The club was organized for the year with the following as officers:

Delma Parker, President, Naomi Moody, Secretary, Zola Meek, Francis Crook, Jessie Lou Parker and Mrs. J. W. Moody, program committee.

The committee submitted this program to be given June 21, at the home of Miss Zola Meek.

Song—Club. Scripture reading—Naomi Moody.

Short Story—Zola Meek. One hour for conversation and needle work.

The club is making a special study for a few weeks of Guy de Maupassant and his writings. After the program delicious sandwiches and tea were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. J. W. Moody.

H. O. RHODES MEMORIAL SINGING WILL CONVENE WITH SAREPTA CHURCH

The H. O. Rhodes Memorial Singing will convene at Sarepta Church at Ino, Ala., June 25th, 1924.

Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring their Sacred Harp song books.

M. C. Wise.

Miss Eloise Ham, who has been teaching at Geneva, returned to her home in Elba last week.

Miss Estelle Bryant will leave Friday for Dothan to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond.

McCLERNY—THOMAS—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClerny, of Dothan, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lenora, to Henry C. Thomas, of Eufaula, Ala., on June 6th, 1924.

Many guests came between the hours of four and six.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tidale, who have made Elba their home for several months, have recently moved to Brantley. Their friends regret to give them up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beard who have made Elba their home for several months left Elba of the week for Montgomery to live.

Three Elbians Injured When Ford Car Turns Over Near Enterprise

Messrs. Jack D. Lee, D. D. Knight and D. C. Marley were principals in an automobile wreck on Tuesday night, when the Ford car of Mr. Marley was turned over on the highway about a mile and a half below Enterprise. Mr. Lee was injured in the side and back and has not been able to use one lower limb. However, the extent of the injury had not been determined up to Wednesday night. Mr. Marley escaped with only a bruise on the hip.

The wreck occurred as the party was returning to Elba from the lower edge of the county where they had been looking after tax matters. Mr. Marley was driving and the wreck occurred when his car became blocked between a car he was attempting to pass and a team on the side of the road. The car was turned over with the wheels in the air, and all three occupants were pinned beneath. It is considered that they were quite lucky to escape without being more seriously injured or perhaps killed outright. The top, windshield and fenders of Mr. Marley's car were demolished.

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"I want every Sunday School in this county to send representatives to this meeting. Please select your delegates next Sunday and be sure to give them a 'Dollar Offering' from each class in your school. This is the Lord's work, so please do not let our county fall below the standard of other counties in the state. Below is the splendid program which we hope will be carried out. Please read it carefully and decide if it will help you in this great work.

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We hope the meeting at the Christian church will be well attended and much benefit will be had from it. There will be no services at night at the Methodist Church on account of this meeting.

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Science now can take a ton of straw and turn it into 10,000 cubic feet of gas for lighting the home and cooking meals. In addition, the straw yields such by-products as 10 gallons of tar, 625 pounds of carbon, ammonia, etc.

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BIG MARKETING CAMPAIGN WILL BE PUT ON IN COFFEE BEGINNING JULY 1; COTTON AND EGGS TO BE SIGNED UP

Marketing Problems Will Be Discussed With Farmers; County Agent Urges Growing of Sweet Potatoes; More Pigs Delivered.

The two big problems on every farm are increased production and better market facilities. The office of Farm Demonstration Agent proposes to help farmers in both these problems. The first one, production, we have been working on for five months, trying to show by field demonstrations in every section of the county that right uses of fertilizers, seeds and cultivation would bring the yield of cotton above one seventh bushel per acre, the average of last year for this county. This fall when the crops are harvested, where average stands have been obtained, and where the farmers have used our suggestions, they should expect a considerable increase yield over the average for the past five years, which will not exceed one fourth bushel per acre for the county. This will be the test of the pudding.

Now that a crop is made, how will it be marketed? We have a good local market in this county as any buyer, no doubt the local buyers, will give their customers everything they possibly can for their produce. It is good business for them to pay a good price if they can and we are sure they have no disposition to profiteer on the farmer, be this distinctly understood, but the question is whether you, Mr. Farmer, will dump your goods on a glutted market or merchandise them thru your farm organization and receive the highest average price for the whole year.

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In the matter of Irish potatoes some several farmers have asked me about getting sales for their potatoes and we have recommended the curb market idea or selling to the local consumers in the county direct. We did this because the market here was not glutted, and we felt that it would be an imposition on the consuming public to have potatoes shipped away and then have to ship them back, paying two freights and three or four handling profits. So by direct selling from farmer to consumer, the farmer receives a fair price for his potatoes, and the consumer gets them cheaper than if he were forced to buy shipped potatoes. And here is an example of how cooperative marketing helps both producer and consumer. It eliminates so many iniquitous turns in distribution.

Sweet Potatoes.

We can announce now that every farmer that grows a surplus of sweet potatoes this year will receive at least one dollar per bushel for them if

Miss Estelle Bryant will leave Friday for Dothan to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond.

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Residence Occupied By Payne Family Is Destroyed By Fire

Flames Are Discovered About Eleven-Thirty Friday Night; Family Loses Everything.

The residence on Buford Street, occupied by Mr. H. L. Payne and family was totally destroyed by fire on last Friday night, between 11:30 and 12:00 o'clock.

Although the fire department responded promptly, the flames had gained such headway that they could not be checked before, the building was entirely consumed. When first discovered, the flames had spread to every room in the house and had practically covered the roof. It is not known how the fire originated.

Mr. Payne and family were not in the house at the time, having gone to Mr. F. A. Devane's to spend the night. It is said that although members of Mr. Payne's family visited the house every day, no fire of any kind had been in the house for two or three days. Mr. Payne and his family lost all their furniture and everything they had, save only the clothes they wore and a few which were being laundered. Their friends sympathize with them in their loss.

The house was owned by Mr. Leon Ham, of Elba, and it is understood that the loss is covered by insurance. Mr. Payne also carried insurance on his furnishings.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR MRS. CARDEW

On Tuesday afternoon the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday School and the young ladies of the W. V. A. entertained jointly at the home of Mrs. Hendrix Jeter, in honor of Mrs. B. J. Cardew, Jr., whose marriage occurred June 3rd. As the guests assembled they were greeted on the porch by Miss Jessie Marsh, who had charge of the hostessing.

Then they entered the living room and were conducted to the receiving line composed of Mesdames Jeter, B. J. Cardew, J. C. Gemon, and Zach Cardwell and Mrs. Cardwell's Sunday School Class, Mrs. J. E. Hudson, Misses Mary Francis, Mary Lou Heath, Mrs. J. Elizabeth Rowe, The W. V. A. as follows: Mesdames C. P. Hayes, W. O. Vaughn, Misses Viola Byrd, Ina Lane, Lucile Thagard, Louise Morgan, Carrie and Lillie Mae Vaughn.

Mrs. W. D. Pierson, in her usual charming manner, conducted the guests to punch table which was lovely with cut flowers centered with a large mirror plaque on which rested a handsome cut glass punch bowl. Here Misses Francis Sanders, Viola Byrd and Toisye Byrd served punch.

The guests were invited into an adjoining room where the many lovely gifts were on display. Mrs. Fannie Cunningham in a charming way conducted the guests to dining room where they were served delicious brick cream and cake by Mesdames Michell, Amor Anderson and Cooper.

The living room and dining room were thrown together and most attractively decorated with baskets of yellow daisies, carrying out the color motif of yellow and green.

Many guests called between the hours of four and six.

W. H. Y. CLUB GIVES SHOWER FOR MISS PAYNE

The W. H. Y. Club entertained at the home of Miss Toisye Byrd on Monday afternoon with a shower for Miss Claudine Payne, who has had the misfortune of losing her wardrobe by fire. Miss Louise Morgan greeted the guests and conducted them to Miss Toisye Byrd, Anita King, Dora Brock, Lallie Page and Claudine Payne. Miss Viola Byrd presided over the memory book.

Miss Margaret Ham in a charming way ushered the way to where the gifts were arranged. Miss Sarah Canby led the way to dining room where punch and cake was served. Many pretty things were received by Miss Payne since coming to Elba a few months ago.

SPEND-THEDAY PARTY AT MRS. JETER'S

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McLENNY-THOMAS—

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLenny, of Dothan, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lenora, to Henry C. Thomas, of Etowah, Ala., on June 6th, 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beard

who have made Elba their home for several months, have recently moved to Brantley, their friends regret to give them up.

COMMUNITY LIFE SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE TO BE HELD AT MT. PLEASANT CHURCH, JUNE 27TH; FINE PROGRAM

A very important meeting and one in which Sunday School workers throughout the county should be interested in is the "Community Life Sunday School Institute," which will be held at Mt. Pleasant Church, on Friday, June 27th. A very fine program has been arranged for the institute. Mr. J. D. Willis, of New Brockton, President of the Coffee County Sunday School Association, has issued the following statement on this meeting:

"To the Sunday School Superintendents, District Officers and Workers of the County:

"There will be a Community Life Sunday School Institute, Friday, June 27th, at Mt. Pleasant church, six miles south of Enterprise, Ala., on the Enterprise and Geneva Highway.

"This Institute will be an inter-denominational Sunday School meeting at which questions of vital importance to the Sunday Schools of coffee county will be discussed by trained workers from the different departments of the Alabama Christian Council of Education and the State Department of Education at Montgomery.

"I want every Sunday School in this county to send representatives to this meeting. Please elect your delegates next Sunday and be sure to give them the 'Dollar Offering' from each class in your school. This is the Lord's work, so please do not let our county fall below the standard of other counties in the state. Below is the splendid program which we hope will be carried out. Please read it carefully and decide if it will help you in this great work.

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PROGRAM.

Theme: "Developing The Foursquare Life."

Text: Luke 2:52, "Jesus increased in wisdom, in stature, in favor with God and man."

MORNING SESSION.

10:00 Community Sing, Service of Worship.

10:15 The Way of the Community Life Institute—Tom V. Elzey.

10:30 Mental Development State and County Program of Education—By a representative from Department of Education.

11:00 Physical Development, State and County Program of Health—Representative from State Board of Health.

11:30 Aiding in the Foursquare Life Development—Representative from Auburn.

12:00 Spiritual Development, A New Program of Christian Education—Tom V. Elzey.

12:30 Appointment of Committees. Adjourn to lunch. Basket dinner on the ground.

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 Demonstrations and personal confidences by trained leaders; Judging Farm Products, Community on Home spent a few days last week at Brantley, where they were guests at a house party.

2:30 Clean mind, heart and body, men and boys together—W. C. Blasingame.

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Three Elbians Injured When Ford Car Turns Over Near Enterprise

D. D. Knight And Jack D. Lee Are Seriously Injured; Mr. Marley Escapes Unhurt.

Messrs Jack D. Lee, D. D. Knight and D. C. Marley were principals in an automobile wreck on Tuesday night, when the Ford car of Mr. Marley was turned over on the highway about a mile and a half below Enterprise. Mr. Lee was injured in the side and back and has not been able to use one lower limb. However, the extent of the injury had not been determined up to Wednesday noon and he was carried to Dothan Wednesday afternoon for an X-ray examination, and his friends trust that his injuries will not prove to be serious.

Mr. Knight received a broken collar bone and bruises in the side, but so far as can be told he is not otherwise injured. Mr. Marley escaped with only a bruise on the hip.

The wreck occurred as the party was returning to Elba from the lower edge of the county where they had been looking after tax matters. Mr. Marley was driving and the wreck occurred when his car became blocked between a car he was attempting to pass and a team on the side of the road. The car was turned over with the wheels in the air, and all three occupants were pinned beneath. It is considered that they were quite lucky to escape without being more seriously injured or perhaps killed outright. The top, windshield and fenders of Mr. Marley's car were demolished.

While their friends deeply sympathize with them in their injuries, they are rejoicing that they were not fatally hurt.

SPLENDID MEETINGS BEING HELD AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

The series of meetings which began at the Church of Christ in Elba on last Sunday morning are growing in interest, and good congregations are present at every service. The preaching is being done by Rev. Flavil Hall, an evangelist of wide reputation, and his splendid gospel sermons are being enjoyed by those who attend.

The singing is another interesting feature of the meetings. Special songs, which were selected by our delegates next Sunday and be sure to give them the "Dollar Offering" from each class in your school. This is the Lord's work, so please do not let our county fall below the standard of other counties in the state. Below is the splendid program which we hope will be carried out. Please read it carefully and decide if it will help you in this great work.

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Mrs. H. C. Johnson was the charming hostess at a miscellaneous shower, on Thursday of last week when she entertained in honor of Miss Mary Alice Talbot, whose marriage occurs at an early date.

Mrs. James English welcomed the guests and ushered them to a table on the porch on which rested the bride's book, where Miss Gussie Rainer asked each guest to register.

Misses Page and Ham then showed the guests to the receiving line, composed of Mrs. Johnson, Miss Talbot, Miss Debata Blocker, Mesdames Carls and Smart.

Throughout the spacious apartments cut flowers were used in profusion, the color scheme of white and yellow prevailing. Misses Ham and Page ushered the guests into an adjoining room where were displayed the many beautiful and practical gifts which attested the popularity of the honoree. Miss Elinor Talbot then showed the way to the dining room where brick cream and cake was served by Misses Kate Rainer and Midge Page. This was in the nature of a come and go affair and many guests called during the afternoon.

Misses Gussie and Kate Rainer, Sallie and Midge Page spent a few days last week at Brantley, where they were guests at a house party.

Miss Lula Mae Vaughn left the first of the week for Troy to enter the Normal School.

Buzzard Electrocutes Self And Burns Out High Tension Wires

Samson Ledger says: Monday afternoon a man butchered a calf near the right of way of the Pea River Power Co., 33,000-volt transmission line about three miles east of Opp. Buzzards gathered to feast on the offal. As one arose from the ground, scared away, probably, by the approach of a human, he winged his way between two of the strands of wire. His wings spanned the distance between and as the tips brushed the strands, a short circuit ran through his body and burned both wires into.

Burns on the wings of the bird showed where the current had entered. The peculiar accident cut off power from Samson for several hours.

The Pea River company has been unfortunate as to burned wires recently, lightning having burned out a wire Saturday night, cutting off power from Samson during the busy Saturday night trading hours.

Leverett Items.

Health is very good in our community at present. The weather is mighty bad tho.

The Sunday School is good at our church. Everybody is invited to come and be with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Thorn visited the latter's father, Mr. Sam Bowden Saturday night.

Mr. Porter Moore and Mr. Rich Bedsole visited Mr. Jack Bedsole and family Sunday.

Mr. Cary Thorn and family visited his father, Mr. Bill Thorn Sunday.

Mr. Sam Bowden and family dined at Mr. Thorn's Sunday.

Miss Effie Ward and the Bensley girls visited Miss Annie and Miss Maudie Creech Sunday afternoon.

Miss Olean Hudson visited Miss Lillian Daughtry Sunday.

Miss Willie Eldridge is visiting the bedside of her grandmother this week. We hope she will soon recover.

Mrs. C. R. Hudson and Mrs. Lee Godwin visited Mr. Bill Thorn Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Snow was the guest of Mrs. A. E. Adams Tuesday morning.

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GIVES UP LIFE IN FRUITLESS EFFORT TO SAVE BUILDING.

Birmingham, Ala., June 1.—Heroically battling flames rather than escape, Wesley T. Downs, 21 chauffeur and night watchman, was cremated early Sunday in a fire which painfully injured three firemen with falling walls and gutted the plant of the Iron City Grain company.

The monetary loss is thought to range between \$60,000 and \$100,000 and no cause has been assigned for the conflagration.

The injured are Cap. V. W. Hughes, fireman William McShaw and H. G. Parr. They are expected to recover. All three were struck by a portion of the one story wall which collapsed shortly after the fire department began its work. The building was a one story brick and hollow tile warehouse, all in a mass of flames when firemen arrived.

The fact that Downs was inside the burning structure and had lost his life was not known until some time after the fire had run its course. Firemen searching the smoldering ruins, found the charred body of the youth at 3:30 o'clock still clutching in his hands a fire extinguisher.

Goodman Items.

We are having plenty of rain these days and people are getting behind with their work.

Children are looking nice and the ladies are canning up their surplus vegetables, something that every woman should do.

There is a lot of sickness in this community now, we regret the sickness of Mrs. J. W. Sellers and baby.

Mrs. J. A. Ross and Mrs. John Bradley visited the bedside of Mrs. Sellers Sunday afternoon.

Misses Francis Roberts and Ethel Parish dined with Miss Lula Mae Johnson Sunday.

Mr. Leon Caldwell and wife visited the latter's mother, Mrs. John Carroll.

Those to dine at Mr. S. B. Livingston's Sunday were: Miss Mattie Parrish, Mildred Grooms and Miss Susie Sellers and Miss Minnie Parish for Mrs. George Grimes.

Mrs. Dillard, Mrs. J. T. McCall, Mrs. Pierce McWaters and wife and Mr. J. W. Sellers visited the bedside of Mr. Louis Carroll Saturday.

Mrs. Jessie Baston of Andalusia, has returned to her home after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. John Carroll.

Mr. Peters and wife, and sister, from Florida have been visiting Mr. Dan Wood and Mr. D. M. Bailey, the past week.

Mr. Willie Carroll from Orion is visiting the bedside of his brother Louie.

Miss Minnie Parish dined with Miss Agnes Carroll Sunday.

Mr. Billie Inman and family spent the day with Mr. Henry Johnson Sunday.

Dr. Gibson from Enterprise met with Dr. Crook at the bedside of Mr. Louis Carroll Wednesday.

Misses Lula and Eura Johnson visited Misses Susie and Dora Sellers Monday.

Cole's Bridge Items.

We are having some rainy weather. The farmers are busy hoeing and plowing between showers.

Mrs. Allen McLendon is on the sick list. She was taken to the hospital at Troy for an operation, from which we hope she will soon recover.

Miss Ira Lowery who has been going to school at Troy, returned home Saturday to spend her summer vacation.

Miss Odessa Dobbs spent Saturday night with Irma Lee Saturday afternoon.

Some from here attended singing at Dyess Sunday afternoon.

Miss Willie Mae White spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Vannie Mae Whitaker.

All who attended the singing given by Misses Reffie and Odessa Dobbs Saturday night reported a good time.

Mr. John David spent Saturday night with Mr. Lumie Whitaker.

Miss Willie Mae and Mr. J. D. Rogers of Chestnut Grove spent Saturday night with relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dobbs and family.

Mrs. D. W. Dobbs visited Mrs. L. M. Hornsby Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Hornsby and mother visited relatives at and near Elba Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Joe Dobbs visited friends at New Hope Sunday afternoon.

Bradie White and Calvin Hornsby spent Saturday night with relatives at Lavada and L. J. Hornsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons visited their daughter, Mrs. Shelby Pinckard Sunday.

Wishing The Clipper and its many readers much success.

Peggy.

DR. A. J. MILLS
—Dentist—
ENTERPRISE, ALABAMA

Two Sets Brothers Engaged in Broil At Grady Saturday

Montgomery, Ala., June 1.—Sidney Knight, 17, charged with the murder of Jerome Fannin and Hays Fannin accused of assault with intent to murder as a result of the killing of David Knight during a fight between the two sets of brothers at Grady Saturday night will be given preliminary trials in the court of common pleas June 17, under plans developed today.

The cause of the trouble has mystified officers. From his bed in a local hospital David Knight issued a statement in which he said a girl was responsible but he repudiated the statement later and refused to give any further information regarding the crimes or the causes of the trouble.

Jerome Fannin died from the loss of blood caused by the severing of an artery. The warrant-charges Sidney Knight with the infliction of the wound with a knife. It is alleged that Hays Fannin shot David Knight following the cutting by Sidney Knight.

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Farmers' Academy

The farmers of our community are real busy with their crops.

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An Irishman sitting up with a corpse, dressed in a fine broadcloth suit, bust out laughing. "Pat aren't you ashamed to be laughing at a funeral?" Said one of the party. "Well, it's just this way. My mind, Maik there, had turned a infidel an' didn't believe in nuthin, neither in heaven nor in hell. And as I see him there I just couldn't help thinkin' how he was all dolled up and no where to go, an' I had to laf."—Have somewhere to go next Sunday.

We hope the meeting at the Christian church will be well attended and much benefit will be had from it. There will be no services at night at the Methodist Church on account of this meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday
Nights of each week.
Ladies meet every Tuesday Afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

FARMERS MAY GET STRAW GAS.

Science now can take a ton of straw and turn it into 10,000 cubic feet of gas for lighting the home and cooking meals. In addition, the straw yields such by-products as 10 gallons of tar, 625 pounds of carbon, ammonia, etc.

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BIG MARKETING CAMPAIGN WILL BE PUT ON IN COFFEE BEGINNING JULY 1; COTTON AND EGGS TO BE SIGNED UP

Marketing Problems Will Be Discussed With Farmers; County Agent Urges Growing of Sweet Potatoes; More Pigs Delivered.

The two big problems on every farm are increased production and better market facilities. The office of Farm Demonstration Agent proposes to help farmers in both these problems. The first one, production, we have been working on for five months, trying to show by field demonstrations in every section of the county that right uses of fertilizers, seeds and cultivation would bring the yield of cotton above one seventh bushel per acre, the average of last year for this county. This fall when the crops are harvested, where average stands have been obtained, and where the farmers have used our suggestions, they should expect a considerable increase yield over the average for the past five years, which will not exceed one fourth bushel per acre for the county. This will be the test of the pudding.

Now that a crop is made, how will it be marketed? We have a good local market in this county as any buyers, will give their customers everything they possibly can for their produce. It is good business for them to pay a good price if they can and we are sure they have no disposition to profiteer on the farmer, be this distinctly understood, but the question is whether you, Mr. Farmer, will dump your goods on a glutted market or merchandise them thru your farm organization and receive the highest average price for the whole year.

More Club Members Coming in
We keep the doors of the pig club open all the time and we are delivering at the rate of 6 pigs each week. We want to see this work go on, for in another year the price of hogs will be better, and those who begin now with some good stock hogs will cash in when the prices go higher. The old hog-raising law has saved many a farm from the public sale and always helps.

MISS PARKER ENTERTAINS G. L. C.
On Saturday afternoon, June 7, Miss Delma Parker entertained a number of girls of the Basin community. She upheld the reputation she has already made of being a very gracious hostess.

Needle work and conversation formed a large part of the program for the afternoon. The club was organized for the year with the following as officers: Delma Parker, President. Naomi Moody, Secretary. Zola Meek, Francis Coker, Jess Lee Parker and Mrs. J. W. Moody, program committee.

The committee submitted this program to be given June 21, at the home of Miss Zola Meek.

Song—Club.
Scripture reading—Naomi Moody.

One hour for conversation and needle work.
The club is making a special study for a few weeks of Guy de Maupassant and his writings. After the program delicious sandwiches and tea were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. J. W. Moody.

H. O. RHODES MEMORIAL SINGING WILL CONVEY WITH SAREPTA CHURCH

The H. O. Rhodes Memorial Singing will convene at Sarepta Church at Ino, Ala., June 26th, 1924.

Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring their Sacred Harp song books.

Miss Eloise Ham, who has been teaching at Geneva, returned to her home in Elba last week.

Miss Estelle Bryant will leave Friday for Dothan to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond.

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Residence Occupied By Payne Family Is Destroyed By Fire

Flames Are Discovered About Eleven-Thirty Friday Night; Family Loses Everything.

The residence on Buford Street, occupied by Mr. H. L. Payne and family was totally destroyed by fire on last Friday night, between 11:30 and 12:00 o'clock.

Although the fire department responded promptly, the flames had gained such headway that they could not be checked before, the building was entirely consumed. When first discovered, the flames had spread to every room in the house and had practically covered the roof. It is not known how the fire originated.

Mr. Payne and family were not in the house at the time, having gone to Mr. F. A. Devane's to spend the night. It is said that although members of Mr. Payne's family visited the house every day, no fire of any kind had been in the house for two or three days. Mr. Payne and his family lost all their furniture and everything they had, save only the clothes they wore and a few which were being laundered. Their friends sympathize with them in their loss.

The house was owned by Mr. Leon Ham, of Elba, and it is understood that the loss is covered by insurance. Mr. Payne also carried insurance on his furnishings.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR MRS. CARDEW

On Tuesday afternoon the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday School and the young ladies of the Y. W. A. entertained jointly at the home of Mrs. Hendrix Jeter, in honor of Mrs. B. J. Cardew, Jr., whose marriage occurred June 3rd. As the guests assembled they were greeted on the porch by Miss Jessie Marsh, who had charge of the hostessing.

Then they entered the living room and were conducted to the receiving line composed of Mesdames Jeter, B. J. Cardew, J. C. Gemon, and Zach Cardwell and Mrs. Cardwell's Sunday School Class. Mrs. J. E. Hudson, Miss Mary Francis Armour, Mrs. P. L. Mary Lou Heath, Sue Lee and Elizabeth Rowe, The Y. W. A. as follows: Mesdames C. P. Hayes, W. O. Vaughn, Misses Viola Byrd, Ina Lane, Lucile Thagard, Louise Morgan, Carrie and Lillie Mae Vaughn.

Mrs. W. D. Pierson, in her usual charming manner, conducted the guests to punch table which was lovely with cut flowers centered with a large mirror plaque on which rested a handsome cut glass punch bowl. Here Miss Francis Sanders, Viola Byrd and Toisye Byrd served punch.

The guests were invited into an adjoining room where the many lovely gifts were on display. Mrs. Fannie Cunningham in a charming way conducted the guests to dining room where they were served delicious brick cream and cake by Mesdames Michell, Amor Anderson and Cooper.

The living room and dining room were thrown together and most attractively decorated with baskets of yellow daisies, carrying out the color motif of yellow and green.

Many guests called between the hours of four and six.

W. H. Y. CLUB GIVES SHOWER FOR MISS PAYNE

The W. H. Y. Club entertained at the home of Miss Toisye Byrd on Monday afternoon with a shower for Miss Claudine Payne, who has had the misfortune of losing her wardrobe by fire. Miss Louise Morgan greeted the guests and conducted them to Miss Toisye Byrd, Anita King, Dora Brock, Lallie Page and Claudine Payne. Miss Viola Byrd presided over the memory book.

Miss Margaret Ham in a charming way ushered the way to where the gifts were arranged. Miss Sarah Canby led the way to dining room where punch and cake was served. Many pretty things were received by Miss Payne since coming to Elba a few months ago.

SPEND-THEDAY PARTY AT MRS. JETER'S

Th attendance contest which the Sallie Boyd Circle has had, closed last Thursday with a spend-the-day party at the home of Mrs. Hendrix Jeter. The losing side being hostess. The ladies assembled about eleven o'clock, the time being given to making a Year Book. At the noon hour a most delicious lunch was served and dining room were thrown together and most attractively decorated with baskets of yellow daisies, carrying out the color motif of yellow and green.

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McLENNY-THOMAS—

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLenny, of Dothan, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lenora, to Henry C. Thomas, of Etowah, Ala., on June 6th, 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beard who have made Elba their home for several months, have recently moved to Brantley. Their friends regret to give them up.

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Clean mind, heart and body, man and boys together—W. C. Blasingame.

Three Elbians Injured When Ford Car Turns Over Near Enterprise

D. D. Knight And Jack D. Lee Are Seriously Injured; Mr. Marley Escapes Unhurt.

Messrs Jack D. Lee, D. D. Knight and D. C. Marley were principals in an automobile wreck on Tuesday night, when the Ford car of Mr. Marley was turned over on the highway about a mile and a half below Enterprise. Mr. Lee was injured in the side and back and has not been able to use one lower limb. However, the extent of the injury had not been determined up to Wednesday noon and he was carried to Dothan Wednesday afternoon for an X-ray examination, and his friends trust that his injuries will not prove to be serious.

Mr. Knight received a broken collar bone and bruises in the side, but so far as can be told he is not otherwise injured. Mr. Marley escaped with only a bruise on the hip.

The wreck occurred as the party was returning to Elba from the lower edge of the county where they had been looking after tax matters. Mr. Marley was driving and the wreck occurred when his car became blocked between a car he was attempting to pass and a team on the side of the road. The car was turned over with the wheels in the air, and all three occupants were pinned beneath. It is considered that they were quite lucky to escape without being more seriously injured or perhaps killed outright. The top, windshield and fenders of Mr. Marley's car were demolished.

While their friends deeply sympathize with them in their injuries, they are rejoicing that they were not fatally hurt.

COMMUNITY LIFE SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE TO BE HELD AT MT. PLEASANT CHURCH, JUNE 27TH; FINE PROGRAM

County President Urges Full Representation; State Workers Will Be Present; Important Subjects To Be Discussed.

A very important meeting and one in which Sunday School workers throughout the county should be interested in is the "Community Life Sunday School Institute," which will be held at Mt. Pleasant Church, on Friday, June 27th. A very fine program has been arranged for the institute. Mr. J. D. Willis, of New Brockton, President of the Coffee County Sunday School Association, has issued the following statement on this meeting:

"To the Sunday School Superintendents, District Officers and Workers of the County:

"There will be a Community Life Sunday School Institute, Friday, June 27th, at Mt. Pleasant church, six miles south of Enterprise, Ala., on the Enterprise and Geneva Highway.

"This Institute will be an inter-denominational Sunday School meeting at which questions of vital importance to the Sunday Schools of coffee county will be discussed by trained workers from the different departments of the Alabama Christian Council of Education and the State Department of Education at Montgomery.

"I want every Sunday School in this county to send representatives to this meeting. Please elect your delegates next Sunday and be sure to give them the 'Dollar Offering' from each class in your school. This is the Lord's work, so please do not let our county fall below the standard of other counties in the state. Below is the splendid program which we hope will be carried out. Please read it carefully and decide if it will help you in this great work.

"Hoping to see you at the Convention early, I remain, Yours for better schools, J. D. WILLIS, President, Coffee County S. S. Association

Splendid Meetings Being Held at Church of Christ

The series of meetings which began at the Church of Christ in Elba on last Sunday morning are growing in interest, and good congregations are present at every service. The preaching is being done by Rev. Flavil Hall, an evangelist of wide reputation, and his splendid gospel sermons are being enjoyed by those who attend.

The singing is another interesting feature of the meetings. Special songs, which were sung in honor of Miss Mary Alice Talbot, whose marriage occurs at an early date.

Mrs. James English welcomed the guests and ushered them to a table on the porch on which rested the bride's book, where Miss Gussie Rainer asked each guest to register.

Misses Page and Ham then showed the guests to the receiving line, composed of Mrs. Johnson, Miss Talbot, Miss Debata Blocker, Mesdames Carls and Smart.

Throughout the spacious apartments cut flowers were used in profusion, the color scheme of white and yellow prevailing. Misses Ham and Page ushered the guests into an adjoining room where were displayed the many beautiful and practical gifts which attested the popularity of the honoree. Miss Elinor Talbot then showed the way to the dining room where brick cream and cake was served by Misses Kate Rainer and Midge Page. This was in the nature of a come and go affair and many guests called during the afternoon.

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PROGRAM.

Theme: "Developing The Foursquare Life."
Text: Luke 2:52, "Jesus increased in wisdom, in stature, in favor with God and man."

MORNING SESSION.
10:00 Community Sing. Service of Worship.
10:15 The Way of the Community Life Institute—Tom V. Elzey.
10:30 Mental Development State and County Program of Education—By a representative from Department of Education.
11:00 Physical Development, State and County Program of Health—Representative from State Board of Health.
11:30 Aiding in the Foursquare Life Development—Representative from Auburn.
12:00 Spiritual Development, A New Program of Christian Education—Tom V. Elzey.
12:30 Appointment of Committees. Adjourn to lunch. Basket dinner on the ground.
AFTERNOON SESSION
1:30 Demonstrations and personal confidences by trained leaders; Judging Farm Products, Community on Home Demonstration Agent, Clinics for Children, Story Hour for Children, Etc.
2:30 Clean mind, heart and body, man and boys together—W. C. Blasingame.
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Girls and Women Have Good Courses at Auburn

The annual inter-session course for club girls and demonstration women at Auburn, June 1-6, was another forward step in home economics in Alabama. Sixty-eight girls from 32 counties and 24 women from 15 counties were present. In most instances the girls were prize winners, and were given the trip because of special achievement. "Leadership training" was the key-note throughout the week. The girls were divided into four groups, studying clothing, foods, arts and crafts, and home management. They made many simple articles, carried them home and will use them in teaching their neighbors the lesson they learned in Auburn. In this way practical leadership will be demonstrated.

The women present studied home dairying, nutrition, and home management. They also heard several special lectures on topics vital to rural home-life. A lecture on feeding babies, by Dr. J. Ross Snyder, of Birmingham, and another by Miss Frances Montgomery, of the Alabama Public Health Service, brought out many important facts from a practical standpoint.

Damascus Items.

Everybody is busy these hot days killing grass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Donaldson dined with Mrs. Rena Richburg and children Sunday.

Mr. C. H. Ellis and Miss L. line Richburg dined at Mr. C. I. Stewart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Donaldson and daughter, and son, Alvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Martin and Odray Maddox attended preaching at Woodland Grove Sunday.

Miss Maggie Belle Stewart spent Sunday night with Miss Lurline Richburg.

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Mr. Buster Richburg and mother spent Saturday night with D. L. Donaldson.

Miss Lila Donaldson dined with Miss Maude Peavy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Richburg have been spending some time with relatives in and near Elba.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parkman, of Durham, spent last week-end with relatives in this community.

Rev. Tom McKnight filled his regular appointment at Damascus Sunday and Sunday night.

Waive notes and bob-tail mortgages at Clipper office.

Opp Masons Plan Permanent Home

Opp Weekly News says:

At a special meeting on May 30th the Masons of this community decided unanimously to erect a permanent home for their lodge. The home will be the whole of the third story of the Stewart building which is to be erected at an early date.

Dr. B. C. Stewart, an ardent Mason, was present and told the members of the lodge that he was willing to give them the third story of this building for the actual cost of construction as determined by his contractor, Mr. T. P. Winston. This generous arrangement the site for the Masonic lodge rooms will not cost the Masons a penny. The estimated cost of the actual construction was placed at \$7000.00.

Mr. T. P. Winston was selected by the Masons to draw up the plans for this additional story to the Stewart building which is to be their permanent home and when approved by the lodge he will proceed with the construction. Two finance sub-committees were appointed which will gather from a general arrangement committee. Messrs. A. T. Dean, J. J. King, M. E. Donaldson, M. J. Adams, A. Z. Bryan, and T. E. Hubbard were named on these committees. Messrs. M. E. Donaldson and T. E. Hubbard were made chairmen of their respective committees.

A report from the general committee shortly before going to press is to the effect that sufficient funds have already been raised to assure early erection of the permanent home which has for some time been the dream of Masons in this section.

FARMER KILLS TWO AND THEN SHOOT HIMSELF

Jackson, Tenn., June 5.—John Butler a farmer, 26 years of age, today killed his wife at her home near Belts cross and a late adjoining his farm and shot to death James Valentine, 22 years of age, and then fired a shot into his own breast inflicting a wound which is probably fatal.

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EGG MARKETING CAMPAIGN HAS SUCCESSFUL START IN STATE

Organization work for the formation of a State egg marketing association in Alabama is meeting with great success, according to reports reaching Auburn. The membership campaign was launched, June 2, and in every section of the State satisfactory progress is being made.

Leaders in Mobile and Baldwin Counties preferred to conduct their membership campaign before the State campaign. Ten thousand hens were signed in a few days in Mobile County, and 11,000 in Baldwin. The quota for each of these counties was 8,000. Despite the fact that this quota has been exceeded, membership work will be continued, with indications that Mobile and Baldwin will sign 40,000 hens.

A unique organization meeting was held at Red Level in Covington County, and every one of the 88 farmers and poultrymen present signed the contract for a total of 3,030 hens.

With the County Farm Bureau in charge, the charter membership campaign will continue until July 15. The minimum for the State is 100,000 hens, but in two counties, and one community in another county, one fourth of this number was signed. The county farm and home demonstration agents are co-operating with the farmers in organizing this association, which will market eggs only. It is being organized and will be operated along lines very similar to the Farm Bureau Cotton Association, which has made a conspicuous success in marketing cotton co-operatively.

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New Brockton, Rt. 1.

The crops of this community are very good. The grass is a little better, and it rains evenly today and gets it a little wetter.

Mrs. J. P. Marsh is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Ella Peacock, and daughter, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Catrette.

Mrs. Alto Watkins visited the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wood visited Mr. and Mrs. Catrette Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Jones made a trip to Enterprise Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Jones spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McWaters.

Mrs. Agnes Carroll was the Sunday guest of Miss Mabel Roberts.

Little Miss Annie Ruth Jones spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Rush Stephens near Victoria.

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The condition of Mr. Louis Carroll is some better than it has been, hope he will soon be able to be up.

People are having a time fighting grass as it rains so much.

Mrs. John Bradley visited the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Marsh, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Sellers, Mrs. G. W. Caldwell and daughter, Mavis, visited Mrs. J. W. Carroll Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Shelby Jones spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Sellers.

Miss Lettie McWaters and brother dined with Miss Glovia Ross Sunday.

Messrs. J. A. and Charlie Ross spent the day with Mr. Frank Dunn, Sr. Sunday.

Mrs. S. B. Livingston and family spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Sellers.

Miss Lula Mae Johnson spent Saturday night with the Misses Parrish.

Mr. Jessie Baston and family from Andalusia spent Sunday night at Mr. J. W. Carroll's.

Mr. Leon Caldwell and wife visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Carroll, Sunday.

A wedding of much interest last Wednesday afternoon was that of Mr. Dewey Wise and Miss Turah Caldwell. They were married in Elba and spent the night there with his brother, Mr. Howard Wise.

Mr. Wise has been in choosing such a lovely girl for his bride. She is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Caldwell. Mr. Wise is a hustling young farmer and a son of Mr. Tup. Wise. They have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy life.

Mrs. John Peacock and children from Tampa, Florida, are visiting her father, Mr. Jack Catrette.

Mr. Dewey Wise and wife stopped in at Mr. J. W. Sellers Friday afternoon.

Little Miss Annie Jones visited her father, Mr. Bob Jones Sunday.

There will be a cemetery working here at Goodman on Friday before the fourth Sunday in June. Everybody interested come and bring tools to work with.

It Helps

Brick! Brick!

WE HAVE 100,000 ALL HARD BRICK THAT WE OFFER FOR \$12.00 per M. 100,000 SALMON BRICK THAT WE OFFER FOR \$10.00 per M.

THESE PRICES ARE FOR BRICK AT THE YARD.

AFTER THESE BRICK ARE GONE WE WILL NOT MAKE ANY MORE THIS SEASON. IF YOU NEED BRICK SEE US NOW. ALSO HAVE LIME IN BARRELS, AND IN SACKS. AND THAT ATLAS PORTLAND CEMENT.

Elba Brick Co.,

ELBA, ALABAMA

Delegates Are Named Democratic Convention By Comer and Tunstall

Birmingham, Ala., June 3.—Following is the list of delegates to the democratic national convention selected by former Governor Comer, the others not yet being named:

First district: F. I. Thompson, Mobile; T. J. Bedsole, Grove Hill.

Second district: Mrs. Mary W. Gale, Montgomery; E. L. Moore, River Falls.

Third district: A. Y. Malone, Dothan; S. C. Cowan, Union Springs.

Fourth district: J. W. Brown, Sylacauga; E. C. Melvin, Selma.

Fifth district: Adolpho Hohenberg, Wetumpka; C. E. Thomas, Prattville.

Sixth district: W. B. Oliver, Tuscaloosa; J. T. Fuller, Centerville.

Seventh district: Fall Robertson, Grovesville; John A. Lusk, Guntersville.

Eighth district: C. W. Ashcroft, Florence; R. H. Walker, Athens.

Ninth district: Mrs. Mary Echols, Birmingham; Donald Comer, Birmingham.

Tenth district: Judge B. G. Robinson, Carrollton; Judge E. P. Goodwin, Fayette.

State-at-large: Congressman J. Lister Hill, Montgomery; Thomas E. Kilby, Anniston; R. H. Powell, Tuskegee; Mrs. Murray Brown, Birmingham.

Birmingham, Ala., June 7.—The remaining half of delegates to the national democratic convention from Alabama, which Col. A. L. Tunstall, chairman of the central committee of the Underwood Campaign Committee of Alabama, has had under consideration for the past few weeks since receiving authority to name one-half of the delegation, was made public this afternoon.

The list will be submitted to Senator Underwood for his approval. The other half of the delegation has been suggested by former Governor B. E. Comer. Delegates from the state follow:

Delegates from state at large: Governor W. W. Brannon, Montgomery; Victor H. Haney, Birmingham; Senator J. W. Sharp, Birmingham.

WRITERS FAIL TO SIGN NAMES.

It becomes necessary every few days for us to throw to the waste basket some letters that are sent in for publication because the writers have failed to sign their names. This week we have two such letters. One does not show from what community it was sent from. Because a writer sends in a letter this week and then next week sends in another, is no reason why we should know that the last letter came from the same writer. It is only a moment's trouble for writers to sign their names, and we do not publish their communications unless they are signed.

Then some writers run all their items in together in one sentence, and sometimes make two pages are written without a paragraph. This is quite a bit of trouble for the force, and we must ask that all writers in the future make a separate item of every subject. When writing about one visitor make one paragraph about him. Then start on another line when you write of some other visitor or some other subject. We are receiving quite a number of good letters every week now, and we appreciate these and we feel sure that readers all over the county enjoy them also. We merely make these statements occasionally because some writer wastes some perfectly good paper as well as a stamp in sending in a letter without signing it.

Miss Marie Ham returned to Elba the first of last week from Geneva where she visited Miss Eloise Ham.

The many friends of Miss Hattie Mae Thomas are glad to know she is steadily improving after a serious illness of the mumps.

Mrs. Annie King, who has been teaching in Gny, and her daughter, Miss Anita, have returned to Elba.

Miss Jennie Horn, of Brantley, is spending a few days with friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Brock and Mrs. W. O. Vaughn were visitors in Montgomery Tuesday.

Miss Mary Ella Boazman left Tuesday for Columbus, Ga. to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Mothershead.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kersh spent last week in Montgomery having attended the Teachers' training school at the Woman's College.

Mrs. Osborne and children, after spending some time with Mrs. L. B. Padgett, have gone to Montgomery.

Mrs. Topsy Bradley, of Abbeville, spent the week-end at Elba with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Beard.

Miss Lillian Rowe went to Troy this week to enter the State Normal.

I. Lee Ann, W. T.

DR. A. J. MILLS

Farmers' Academy

On account of the rains, the farmers have been unable to do but little in their crops.

Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. Cockrell visited Mrs. A. A. Spears Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Carlos Martin, of New Brockton, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherford.

Mr. Henry Smith has purchased a new Ford.

Miss Etta Baker, who has been attending Troy Normal, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. Virgil Knight spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents at Banks.

Mr. Jimmie D. Tindol, of Dothan, spent the week-end at home.

Messrs. Otis Holmes, Jim and J. D. Gunter spent Sunday with Mr. Joe Baker.

Miss Madie Ree Seay left Saturday for Troy where she will enter the State Normal.

Misses Farrah, Velma and Neva Hunter and Sula Palmer visited Miss Flossie Spears Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Claude Spears, of Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting Mrs. A. A. Spears this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tindol, of New Brockton, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tindol.

Mr. Boyd Hunter visited Mr. Floyd Spears Saturday.

Mr. Bill Grimley accompanied by Miss Thelma McGill visited Miss Flossie Spears Saturday night.

Those who attended the party given by Miss Mae Tindol Saturday night reported a good time.

Several car loads from our community went to Flemings' Mill Sunday.

Mr. Grady Seay visited Mr. Boyd Hunter Saturday night.

The young folks of our community visited Miss Flossie Spears Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Edkins, Elba Rd. 5, sent to The Clipper office last Saturday the finest turnip we have seen this year.

The turnip, with all the top trimmed off, weighed 9 pounds. Two roots had grown together in making the turnip the large size that it is. According to the sample Mr. Edkins has a fine turnip patch.

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Preaching 11.00, a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Chas. H. Germon Pastor.
Sunday School 9.45 a. m. J. C. Fleming, Superintendent.

METHODIST CHURCH
Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. F. M. Lowrey, Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.
Epworth League, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

If company comes next Sunday, try to be as aggressive in your Christianity as they are in their paganism. Perhaps the Lord has delivered them into your hand that you may bring them to church.

If the church contained nothing but saints there would be no room for the most of us, but since it was established for sinners, let all be in our place next time. The pastor will fill the pulpit, and he asks you to fill the pews.

When the little boy was asked why he did not go to school, he replied that the reason was he could not do any good there because he could not read, write, or anything. How like grown-ups? They do not go to church, or pray, or study the Sunday-school lesson because they do not know anything about it.

We are glad to enroll on our membership Mr. and Mrs. Leon K. Pulliam, of Pensacola, and extend them all the privileges of our church. Mr. Pulliam is in charge of the ice factory and cold storage plant. He is using the same kind of ice machinery they use in breweries. Don't rush—take your time!

The regular services will be held at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday, but at night we shall dismiss for the revival at the Christian church. There will be preaching at the church in the J. S. Windham community at 8 P. M.

Prof. L. C. Kersh has consented to teach a training class at Liberty in July, and we hope every teacher will secure a book and read the good leadership of the superintendent, O. C. Smith, who is having a fine school in Liberty church.

The Sunday School Day program will be held at 9 o'clock hour in Elba next Sunday. We hope every member of the church will be present. The children render this program.

Keep in mind the Culppepper meeting to be held July 6. Leave your coat at home during the last days, and attend all services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday nights of each week.
Ladies meet every Tuesday Afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

LIGHTNING KILLS TWO
Charleston, W. Va., June 8.—S. B. Avis, former congressman from West Virginia, and R. G. Altizer, vice-president and general counsel of the United Fuel Gas company, both of Charleston, were instantly killed today when lightning struck a summer house at Edgewood Country club in which they had taken refuge during a storm. The house was overturned by the shock.

More than 500,000 volumes of the Bible printed in Japanese are being sent to Japan to supply the unusual needs caused by the recent earthquake, it is said.

Nerve splicing, said to be one of the most delicate of surgical operations, is one of the latest achievements of curative science.

Voters in Czechoslovakia are fined heavily for not appearing at the polls on election day.

California professor states that bulls are color blind—therefore waving a red flag before a bull produces curiosity only.

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CAR PLUNGES IN RIVER
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Within forty minutes after the snake bit Mr. Coffield he was in Troy for treatment by Dr. Watkins, who used the new "snake serum" and upon returning home found the snake near his home and placed it in a screen covered box and brought it to Troy where it attracted considerable attention.

Mr. Coffield is suffering only slightly from the effects of the bite, and according to his physician, should suffer no further inconvenience.

Just Received

A CAR LOAD OF SHELL CORN ALSO A CAR OF STRICTLY NO. TWO WHITE OATS—RECLEANED. WE HAVE A FULL STOCK OF ALL KINDS OF HAY. THE QUALITY OF OUR FEED IS THE VERY BEST. PRICES JUST AS REASONABLE AS IT IS POSSIBLE TO SELL.

WE SELL FEED ONLY FOR THE CASH. WHEN YOU SEND YOUR WAGONS, PLEASE SEND MONEY. WE CANNOT SELL FEED ON CREDIT. PLEASE DO NOT ASK US. YOUR BUSINESS APPRECIATED BUT FEED MUST BE FOR CASH ONLY.

Boyd & Murphree

Leverett Items.

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MAN CAPTURES BIG RATTLER

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It has been found that the actual work of the "busy" bee is performed in about half a day.

POWER COMPANY TO LAUNCH PROJECTS

Birmingham, Ala., June 9.—Announcement of an expenditure of approximately \$39,000, 000 by the Alabama Power company on six hydro-electric projects on Tallapoosa river was made today by E. A. Yates general manager. The development will bring the stream to the maximum point in the production of power.

Construction work which includes what is known as the Cherokee Bluffs dam will be completed within three years. A permit for the dams was granted by the federal power commission last week. Six dams with the upper and lower Tallapoosa projects now owned by the Alabama Power company will provide a total of 150,000 horse power on the Tallapoosa.

Work has been in progress for a year on Cherokee Bluffs dam, which is one of the biggest power projects in the country. The 150 foot dam will back the Tallapoosa into a lake having an area of 39,200 acres.

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AUTO WRECK VICTIMS RESTING VERY WELL; INJURIES ARE SERIOUS

The many friends throughout the county of Tax Collector Jack D. Lee and Mr. D. D. Knight, will regret to learn that their injuries received in an automobile wreck on last Tuesday night, are of a more serious nature than was at first expected.

Mr. Lee was carried to a Dothan hospital where an X-ray examination revealed some broken bones in his hip, and it will be necessary for him to remain in the hospital for six or eight weeks. However, reports from his bedside are that he is resting well and unless some complications develop, he will get along alright.

Mr. Knight who received a broken collar bone, and was otherwise bruised, has been suffering a great deal, but it is hoped that he may soon be on his feet and to recovery.

Their many friends trust that they will continue to improve and soon be well again.

MARRIAGE OF MISS ARMOR AND MR. MORROW

A marriage that came as quite a surprise to their many friends was that of Miss Mary Francis Armor and Mr. George Morrow which occurred on Wednesday evening, June 11th at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Armor.

Rev. Chas. H. Germon pastor of the Baptist Church, performed the impressive ceremony. Only the close friends of the bride and groom were present.

The bride, who is a beautiful young woman of brunette type was given away by her father, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Armor. She was wearing a gown of brown crepe, with trimmings of brown lace. With it were worn hat and accessories to match.

The groom, who is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Morrow, is a young man of many splendid traits of character. He holds a position in the office of the Friends of Coffee County. Both young people have countless friends, who join in extending congratulations and best wishes to the happy nuptials.

They are at home to their friends with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Armor.

MRS. BLUE HOSTESS TO FIVE HUNDRED CLUB

The Five Hundred Club was most delightfully entertained on Friday, with Mrs. Sam Blue as hostess. As the guests arrived they were served punch from a beautifully decorated table by Mrs. George Morrow.

The spacious living room was decorated with baskets of cut flowers, where tables were placed for the games. The hostess assisted by Mrs. John Armor served a plate salad course.

The guests other than the club members were: Mrs. Geo. W. Morrow, Misses Gussie Rainer and Sallie Page.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vaughn, of Dothan, spent Sunday with Elba relatives this week.

Mrs. F. H. Rainer and little son, of Ozark, are guests of Elba relatives this week.

Miss Maly Lee, Guntersville, will leave today for White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. After spending a few days there she will go to Camp Junaluska, N. C., for a visit.

The many friends of little Baneroff Cooper will be glad to know he is slowly improving from his recent illness. He and his mother are at St. Margaret's hospital, Montgomery, where he is under the care of a specialist.

Mrs. J. T. Lee, Mrs. Annie King, Messrs. D. C. Marley and Pete Lee visited Mr. Jack D. Lee in Dothan Sunday.

Mrs. I. T. Law, Miss Ella Law and Mr. Wallace Law, of Troy, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Law, of Camden, were visitors at Elba Monday.

Mrs. H. A. Jolly and son, Hoyt, returned to their home in Auburn Wednesday. They have as their guest little Miss Mary Leann Ham, who will make them a visit. She will also go to Columbia, Ga., to visit her aunt before returning to her home.

THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, JUNE 19TH, 1924.

ELBA BAKERY DAMAGED BY FIRE AND WATER TUES. NIGHT

The Elba Bakery, located in the stone building on the East side of Court Square was badly damaged by fire, smoke and water on Tuesday night about 11:30 o'clock.

The flames were discovered before much headway was gained and the firemen had a stream of water in the building before the fire broke through the roof. However the stock of goods as well as the machinery and fixtures in the building were badly damaged by smoke and water.

It is not known just how the fire started. Mr. George Boutwell, who had been baking some bread and cakes had only been gone from the place a short time, and it is supposed that the flames started from the fire in the oven.

Condemning the property of Mr. J. W. Blocker and it is understood that it as well as the stock of goods and machinery of the bakery, was insured.

MRS. RUSS ENTERTAINS FOR MISS TALBOT

Miss Mary Ella Talbot was the inspiration of a lovely affair on Friday evening, when Mrs. M. C. Russ entertained with a theatre and slumber party.

At twilight a most tempting luncheon was served picnic style on the lawn, at the Russ home. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Murphree, Mr. and Mrs. Smart, Misses Talbot, Sallie and Madge Page, Gussie and Kate Rainer, Margaret and Jennie Garrett, Jimmie Horn, Louise Leibart, Mabel Brunson, Lottie Harper and Lurline Ham.

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BY R. G. ARNOLD

How To Market Your Surplus Irish Potatoes.

A number of farmers have informed me lately that they had a few Irish potatoes for sale, but not sufficient in quantity to ship a car. My suggestion to you who have these potatoes for sale is to spread them out in some cool dark barn, shed, or vacant building and keep till later in the summer when the retail trade, which offers the best price obtainable, can consume them at a fair price. Potatoes are easily kept in this manner, and should you have a considerable quantity, and only a small storage space, you can construct a series of false floors, three feet above one another. The prime requirement is to have the storage place dark, cool and plenty of circulation of air to circulate freely. By gradually marketing these potatoes, I am sure that you will realize a satisfactory price for your surplus. Notify this office of any surplus, and I am sure we can assist you in disposing of them.

Fall Garden Hints Offered by Experts

Contrary to the general opinion that fall gardens should be started in September, Prof. L. M. Ware, of the Department of Horticulture, declares that now is the time to begin.

Preparatory to the fall garden, the spring and summer garden should be kept clean. Weeds should be killed with a hoe, and the soil should be turned over. It is important that the soil be well prepared before the fall garden is started.

For fall cabbage, good should be planted now, and the plants transplanted in July and August. Succession is a good variety to plant in June. For late fall and winter cabbage, the late Dutch variety should be planted late in July and the plants transplanted at the same time.

July is the time to plant lettuce seed for